

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 10/560,361	Applicant(s) SYLVAIN, DANIEL	
	Examiner Nicholas P. D'Aniello	Art Unit 1793	

All Participants:

(1) Nicholas P. D'Aniello.

(2) Mark Weichselbaum.

Date of Interview: 9 March 2010

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic

☐ Video Conference

☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, provide a brief description: _____

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:
n/a

Claims discussed:
1 and 3

Prior art documents discussed:
n/a

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:
See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

/Nicholas P D'Aniello/
Examiner, Art Unit 1793

Status of Application: _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

Time: 10am

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: An Examiner's amendment to place the application in condition for allowance was proposed by the Examiner. The amendment includes clarifying (in independent claim 1) that the method comprises making a band type product from metal coils as well as adding to the end of the claim that both the first and second phase of the second junction cycle comprise welding. Support for these amendments can be found in original claims 2 and 3 as well as the specification pages 1-3. These amendments, in combination with the amendments clarifying that the same temporary junction is welded again after the intermediate accumulator define over the prior art as a whole.